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In re Application of

Karl Maurer

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: DECISION GRANTING PETITION

UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 27, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is GRANTED.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that (1) the reply in the form of an amendment; (2) the petition fee; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the reply to the nonfinal Office action of May 22, 2002, is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3208.

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